

clerk of the market, levy such taxes for the purpose as they may deem proper.

331. No person shall raise or keep any hogs or geese within said town except in enclosures, or suffer any hogs or geese to go and remain at large therein; and if any hogs or geese of any inhabitant of said town shall be found at large therein, any person may kill or impound the same; and if impounded, the person impounding shall immediately give notice by advertisement set up at the most public places in the town, describing such hogs or geese, and if the owner shall not within five days thereafter prove his property therein and make compensation for the injury which any inhabitant of said town may have sustained by such hogs or geese being at large, to be ascertained by two disinterested inhabitants of the town, and pay for every hog twenty-five cents per day, and for every goose the sum of six cents per day for every day such goose or hog may have been impounded, the person so impounding may sell or kill the same for his own benefit.

332. All fines and forfeitures imposed by the ordinances of the burgess and commissioners of said town, shall be imposed by the burgess of said town or by any justice of the peace for Washington county, upon a warrant to be issued by him against the offender to any constable of said county; and the person convicted, in default of payment, may be committed to the jail of the county until such fine or forfeiture be paid, unless discharged under the next succeeding section.

333. The said burgess, or any justice of the peace of the county, may order any person committed under the preceding section to be discharged after the space of ten days from the date of his commitment, upon satisfactory proof adduced before him, upon affidavit or oral testimony under oath, that said person is wholly unable to pay said fine and forfeiture and costs; *Provided*, that if the fine or forfeiture exceed the sum of five dollars, the person committed shall not be discharged until after the expiration of thirty days from the time of his commitment.

334. The said burgess shall have the same power to summon and enforce the attendance of witnesses as justices of the peace.